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In re application of: Art Unit: Kosei TERADA, et al. Serial No.: Currently unknown Examiner: Filing Date: Concurrently herewith For: SYSTEM OF GENERATING MOTION PICTURE RESPONSIVE TO MUSIC

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor(s): Kosei TERADA; Akitoshi NAKAMURA; and Hiroaki TAKAHASHI

For: SYSTEM OF GENERATING MOTION PICTURE RESPONSIVE TO MUSIC

| Enclosed are: 88 Pages of Specification |
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| 25 Sheets of drawing (X formalinformal) |
| X_Declaration and Power of Attorney Will follow. |
| X Form PTO-1595 and an assignment of the invention to YAMAHA CORPORATION, of 10-1, Nakazawa-cho, Hamamatsu-shi |
| Shizuoka-ken, JAPAN Will follow. |
| X_A certified copy each of Japanese Patent Appln. No. 9-347016 filed December 2, 1997 and Japanese Patent Appln. |
| No. 10-018258 filed January 13, 1998, from which priority is claimed in the subject case pursuant to Rule 55b and |
| 35 U.S.C. 119 Will follow. |
| An associate Power of Attorney |
| A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27. |
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